# **FISCAL NOTE**

# SB 2641 - HB 2672

February 10, 1998

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Provides that a county legislative body may vote to set the rate at which a juror is paid, not to exceed \$40 per day. Current law provides several options for such pay, including \$10 a day plus mileage, \$11 flat rate, and, in any county with a metropolitan or home rule government, such a county may set its rate by ordinance.

### **ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

## Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Exceeds \$100,000 / Permissive

Assumes that, to the extent counties choose to increase juror pay, local governments will experience an increase in expenditures exceeding \$100,000. For informational purposes, a single county last year used 2,336 jurors, 1,936 served for nine days, and 400 served for 21 days. A \$2 increase in the rate for this number of jurors would be \$55,648.

### **CERTIFICATION:**

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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